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William Thornton, Alexander White, and Tristam Dalton, Commissioners to Thomas Jefferson, June 12, 1801, from Thomas Jefferson and the National Capital. Edited by Saul K. Padover.

Commissioners to Jefferson

Commissioner's Office, 12th June 1801

Sir,

On the 13th Feby last, the claim of George Walker respecting two spaces of Ground in the City of Washington, which he conceives ought to be paid for and appropriated to public use, was laid before the late President, and all the Information, which the Board thought necessary for his Information, transmitted. We take the liberty of requesting your attention to this Business, as the payment of a Debt due from Mr. Walker depends on the President's decision, and we have agreed to wait till that decision shall be known. We are, with sentiments of the greatest respect, &c.

W. Thornton

A. White

T. Dalton

PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

[P. 87, COMMISSIONERS' LETTERBOOK, Vol. 6, 1800–02, in the National Archives.]